

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel Claim 43 without prejudice to or disclaimer of the subject matter recited therein.

Please amend Claim 42 and add Claim 46 as follows:

1-41. (Cancelled)

42. (Currently Amended) A microlens having an aspherical surface profile at a skirt portion of a protruding spherical portion, wherein the aspherical surface profile is identical to a surface profile generated by surface tension of a liquid deposited over a semispherical structure on a substrate.

43. (Cancelled)

44. (Previously Presented) An array of microlenses according to Claim 42.

45. (Previously Presented) A fly-eyed array of microlenses according to Claim 42.

46. (New) A mold of an aspherical microlens having an aspherical surface profile at a skirt portion of a protruding spherical portion, wherein the aspherical surface profile is identical with a surface profile generated by surface tension of a liquid deposited over a semispherical structure